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Zebrugge Evacuated

Present Allied Push Should Free Belgium Cities Within Week

LONDON, Oct. 17, 5:20 p. m.—Zeebrugge is believed to have been practically evacuated, according to information received here this afternoon. (Zeebrugge, formerly companion German submarine base to Ostend, is 15 miles east of the latter.

Ostend Entered by Naval Forces of the Allied Armies

LONDON, Oct. 17.—British naval forces have occupied Ostend, it was officially announced by the royal air force this afternoon. Aviators reported Ostend clear of the enemy, and Vice-Admiral Keyes, commander of the British channel fleet, landed in the former German submarine base at 12:55 p. m.

Von Armin and His Army in Full Retreat Before Lille

PARIS, Oct. 17.—The whole of the German army of General von Arnim is in retreat from the North Sea to the region of Lille, having been beaten back and overthrown by the allied attacks today. The retirement is assuming the proportions of a rout. Seventeen divisions comprise the army of von Arnim.

At Present Advance Coast of Belgium Will Soon be Free

WITH THE ALLIED FORCES IN FLANDERS, Oct. 17.—It is considered that if the present rate of advance is sustained the Belgian coast should be free of the Germans within a very few days. The British alone captured 4,000 prisoners and 150 guns since the operations began.

Fleeing Germans Leave Strong Guards Behind

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN THE LILLE SECTOR, Oct. 17.—The Germans in the Lille sector are leaving strong guards in selected places in an effort to protect their fleeing comrades. These rear guards have orders to inflict the greatest number of casualties possible. Outflanking tactics are usually sufficient to clear up these strong points.

German Resistance is Crumbling all Along Line

PARIS, Oct. 17.—Resistance by the Germans is crumbling all along the battle front except in the region of the Argonne and northern Champagne. There American troops under Generals Liggett, Cameron and Bullard, and French troops under General Gouraud are engaged in desperate fighting. The Prussian Guards, ceding ground inch by inch, are dying, but not surrendering, in an effort to save their right wing.

London Believes Kaiser is Ready to Surrender

LONDON, Oct. 17.—Rumors relative to the course Germany may take toward replying to the note from President Wilson form the main features of this morning's papers.

Some are convinced that Germany's unconditional surrender is coming. Although the statement issued at the foreign office last night shows that yesterday's rumors were premature, extraordinary reports concerning internal conditions in Germany are printed. Some newspapers take it for granted that Emperor William will abdicate. The Express says that for some time he has been sending his valuables to Holland.

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JUDGE LENNON IS HERE CAMPAIGNING

Judge Thomas J. Lennon, associate justice of the supreme court, was here last night greeting old friends and making new in the interests of his candidacy. He asks for one of the two long terms.

The candidacy of Thomas J. Lennon, presiding justice of the First District Court of Appeals, for election to one of the two positions to be filled on the state supreme court bench has already obtained the approval of the California bar and of a large number of the voters of the state.

Judge Lennon is splendidly qualified for the important position, with a brilliant record as jurist and lawyer. Of his fourteen years' experience as a judge, the last eight years he has filled with successful labor as presiding justice of the First District Court of Appeals.

MRS. ANN BARRIS IS VICTIM OF PNEUMONIA

Mrs. Anna Barris, wife of J. W. Barris, 334 Twelfth street, died yesterday of pneumonia. She was 53 years of age and a native of Texas. The funeral will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the parlors of E. B. Smallwood. Interment will be in Sunset View.

All the local news can be found in The Morning News.

LOUIS HAGEN DIES FIGHTING AT FRONT

"We regretfully inform you that your son Louis Hagen was killed July 15 while in action and in the service of his country." This terse telegram from the war department brought the first news of their boy that Mr. and Mrs. Hagen, pioneer residents of El Cerrito, had since last June.

The deceased was 26 year of age. He was attached to company D, Ninth Machine Gun battalion, in the third division, American Expeditionary forces and had seen eight months of oversea service. A sister, Mrs. Blanche Brodt, of Berkeley, survives him.

TAXI MAN FALLS VICTIN TO MALADY

Five days ago Antone Persich, known as "Toni the Taxi Man," was greeting friends with the same old smile at his stand on Macdonald avenue. Yesterday morning he had passed away at his home, 223 Pullman avenue. Influenza is blamed for his sudden end.

He was a native of Austria and 41 years of age. A widow, Mrs. Catherine Persich, and two daughters, Mary and Helen, survive him. The funeral will be held at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon from the Curry undertaking parlors on Eleventh street. Rev. D. W. Calfee will officiate. Interment will be in Sunset View cemetery.

NURSE GIVES LIFE TO STOP EPIDEMIC

Miss Florence Crawford, a trained nurse, 1023 Nevin Ave., died from pneumonia yesterday morning. She is the daughter of Frank W. Crawford and a native of Lakeport, California. The remains will be shipped from the Curry undertaking parlors on Eleventh street Saturday morning. Services will be held at Lakeport.

SCHOOLS TO OPEN WEEK FROM MONDAY

School Superintendent W. T. Helms stated yesterday that the schools will open one week from Monday if the epidemic shows signs of decreasing by that time. Only children from families not affected with Spanish influenza will attend at first.

Helms believes that school is of secondary consideration to curbing the epidemic and will not have the studies resumed unless the danger point is passed. He believes the disease has finished spreading and from now will diminish.

Try the News classified ads.

BLAKE CALLS ON PUBLIC TO FIGHT EPIDEMIC

"We have reached a crisis so far as the Spanish influenza epidemic is concerned," said Dr. Charles R. Blake, health officer, yesterday. "Right now there are more cases of advanced influenza or pneumonia than at any time since the sickness began.

"Unless there is a decided change for the bettr today I will be forced to order the saloons and cigar stores to close tomorrow. The public seems to think that the epidemic is not serious. This despite each day records fatalities.

"All I can say is that complete isolation must be the rule. It is impossible to quarantine houses where cases appear for the reason we cannot get enough men to see that the quarantine is enforced.

"No person would think of taking chances with a rattlesnake, then why should they get in the road of influenza? This disease is just as fatal as a snake's bite if the proper care is not taken. It is up to the public to stop this trouble and if all will do their best it will soon end. I believe there are 800 cases in the city right now."

DEATH COMES TO GIRL WITHIN EIGHT HOURS

Funeral services were said yesterday over the late Mrs. Josephine Bevilaqua. Rev. McLaughlin of St. Mark's church officiated, after which interment was made in St. Joseph's cemetery.

Mrs. Bevilaqua expired from influenza, contracted while nursing her husband. She was ill eight hours.

CRARAY MADE HEAD OF NEW WAR DRIVE

Superintendent of Schools William H. Hanlon, and G. O. Meese were in San Francisco yesterday afternoon to attend the conference in the Palace hotel relative to the campaign for $180,000,000 for war camp community service.

Contra Costa county is asked to contribute to this fund the sum of $67,000, to be dispensed for war activities by the Y. M. C. A., Y. W. C. A., Catholic War Council, Salvation Army, American Library Association, and Jewish Welfare Board and War Camp Community Service. Mr. Hanlon has been named chairman of the Contra Costa division.

Senator Sharkey has been appointed chairman of the speaking arrangements and the big drive, which has the endorsement of President Wilson, will open on November 11.

In Richmond C. J. Crary is in charge of the drive. Supervisor W. J. Buchanan is named chairman for Pittsburg, Assemblyman W. E. Callahan for Antioch and George Curtis at Brentwood.

LIKES HIS HOME

John W. Wales, who was released from the San Francisco jail yesterday morning and given a six months probation, was arrested last night by the local police for being drunk, and he will now be sent back to his home in the city jail in San Francisco.

Developments Are Many In Influenza Epidemic Yestrday

1. "Safety First" masks are put on sale and druggists are swamped with eager buyers.

2. Saloons, cigar stores and all places where persons congregate are to be closed unless the epidemic shows signs of decreasing.

3. Fifteen new cases are reported during the course of yesterday and many of the old ones take serious turns.

4. Three die from influenza and pneumonia during the day.

5. An appeal for women to aid in nursing issued by Miss Norah McNeil of the public library.

LAST RITES SAID OVER LATE MATRON

Floral pieces crowded the Smallwood chapel yesterday when the last rites were said over the late Mrs. Emma Lane, wife of Mayor W. L. Lane. The services were in charge of Miramar Chapter of Eastern Star and the prayers were read by Rev. Frank Linder, formerly pastor of Wesley Methodist church.

At Sunset View cemetery Mrs. J. F. Cassidy, past matron of Miramar Chapter, took charge and with David Huntsinger as patron conducted the rites.

The active pall bearers were City Treasurer I. R. Vaughn, City Clerk A. C. Faris, City Assessor J. C. Ford, Chief of Police C. H. Walker, City Auditor J. A. McVittie and Fire Chief Roy Lemoin. The honorary pall bearers were the members of the city council.

LIBERTY SPECIAL IS ORDERED CANCELLED

The Liberty Loan special with war trophies which was scheduled to stop in Richmond Saturday afternoon will not top here on account of the danger from the influenza if a crowd gathers. The meeting has been abandoned at the request of Health Officer C. R. Blake.

Every one should remember that the Liberty Bond campaign closes Saturday, October 19th, and that is the last chance to buy a bond of the fourth issue. While Richmond has gone over her quota, Contra Costa county is running close and California, your California and my California, has a long way to go and we must help. We stand at the foot of the list of states in the western district.

Therefore buy a bond and if you have already bought, figure over your finances and buy again for California and Uncle Sam.

The banks will remain open Friday afternoon from 4 to 6 to finish up the campaign.

BAND PLANS BIG FETE TO RAISE FUND

Plans for another entertainment, much on the style of the one held some months ago, are now being made by the Richmond Concert band, which is using every endeavor to make the first payment on the proposed civic building site at Tenth and Nevin avenue.

The option to buy the twelve lots will expire on the tenth of November. The band is planning to give the entertainment on October 31, if the Spanish influenza epidemic is under control by that time.

The initial payment of $4,800 to secure the property is being raised by public subscription and by various affairs. The band wants to make the next show even better than the last.

Miss Carrie Ellsworth, whose remarkable dancing and acting has brought her worlds of praise is to have a prominent place on the card. Miss Ellen Rose, comedienne, Miss Rose Schaumer, toe dancer, and said to be one of the best on the Pacific coast, will also be on hand.

Both Dr. Guthrie and his wife have agreed to give their services. The doctor will be seen in a twenty minute sketch, "Little Patriot," adapted from E. L. Merritt's picture of that name. Miss Ellsworth will assist him. Mrs. Guthrie will sing.

There will be a Spanish, Egyptian and Fairy ballet. The two former with five girls and the latter with twenty, promises to be one of the features. Classic dances, skirt, toe, Hawaiian and an arrow dance are featured.

Miss Bettie Phemister is to appear in a Scottish dance, the costume for which has just arrived from Scotland and which has already cost her a duty of $8.

The city council has promised to pay the rest of the amount if the option is put up and for this reason every endeavor is being made to secure the $4,800.

ACCOUNTING SUIT IS SETTLED BY LATIMER

In filing the findings in the case of James Vander Sweip against J. C. Owens, et al, Judge Latimer has fixed the amount awarded to the defendant at $1,602.40. The case was an accounting suit and there was some question as to the exact figures in the findings. The revised finding show that the figures of the court were correct and these have now been filed.

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Mrs. Cramer's Nephew Killed While Hunting

Mrs. T. T. Cramer of Martina avenue, received word yesterday from Topeka, Kansas, that her nephew, Conroy Bell, was killed while out hunting in Kansas.

Conroy was only 19 years of age and has many friends in Richmond. He and his mother were visitors at the home of Mrs. Cramer three weeks ago and both made a large circle of friend during their stay.

Judge Latimer To Name Economy Board

A new board to be known as the Commercial Economy Committee is to be appointed for Contra Costa county this week by Judge R. H. Latimer, chairman of the local division of the State Council of Defense. This board, which will consist of three members, will have to do with commercial saving in all lines, and it is aimed to have it representative of all sections of the county.

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ODD FELLOWS—Eclipse Lodge No. 403, I. O. O. F., meets every Monday night in Bank Hall, Eighth street and Macdonald avenue. George T. Stanley, N. G. J. W. Shell, Recording Secretary, 136 Second street.

STAGS — Patriotic and Protective Order of Stags meets every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in W. O. W. hall, Seventh and Macdonald. Visitors always welcome. H. L. Springer, Recorder, 101 Ohio street; H. E. Somerville, Exalted Director.

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FIVE MILLION FREIGHT CARS

An American soldier's food, clothing and war supplies for one year would fill a freight car.

A million and a half men already in Europe. A million and a half freight cars to haul their necessities to the Atlantic ports.

There will soon be two million. Perhaps five. Five million carloads. How many million more to fill contracts with our allies?

Would any patriot add needlessly to the burden of the Government in administering the railroads? Would he order from mail-order houses anything that he could get at home?

There is very little bought by mail that cannot be bought right here in Richmond. While helping the nation you can help to boost our home town.

Just why there should have been any question as to putting the ball players out of the "work or fight" order until after the season is incomprehensible to the patriotic American. There is no logical reason why the big ball leagues should not discontinue for the duration of the war.

Baseball is our national game—the game we all love, and being a national game, and a man's game at that, it's soul should be patriotically clean. Baseball will never claim exemption for itself and the arm that throws a ball with a curve that brings down the cheers of the crowd should be the arm to hurl the bomb and bring forth the cheers of the nation

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It didn't take long for those striking $8-a-day jinks back East to return to work after reading President Wilson's letter on "work or lose your job." That's the way to handle the labor profiteers.

THE HUN AT OLD TRICKS

The record of Germany, the outlaw nation, continues to unfold along the same course is marked in 1914, 1915, 1916 and 1917. Crooked peace propaganda and virtuous pretentions go hand in hand with ruthless violations of the law of nations.

Coincident with the Hohenzollern peace trick of Chancellor Prince Maxmilian are to be noted four smaller events planned to synchronize into the scheme of deceiving All peoples:

First—The false announcement of extension of parliamentary authority in the imperial government and the democratization of the government.

Second—The appointment of Philip Schiedemann, Socialist tool of the kaiser, as an under secretary of state without portfolio.

Third—Another announcement, probably as false as were the several previous ones, that the irascible Marshal von Hindenburg had quarreled with the kaiser and had resigned.

KEEP HIM ON THE RUN

Our armies have been steadily forcing the Germans back.

On those of us at home rests the duty of keeping a never ending stream of supplies pouring to the front.

Now is the time to redouble our efforts and never give the enemy a chance to catch his breath.

An oversubscription of the Fourth Liberty Loan may be the blow from which the Huns will never recover.

Lets give it to them double, one defeat after another at the front and one Liberty Loan after another at home.

While we have him on the run never give him chance to make another stand.

Do your part, buy to the limit.

Posmaster Wants Corridor Kept Clear

Richmond, California,
October 17, 1918.

During present conditions accentuated by the prevalance of Spanish influenza, it is requested that patrons of this post office confine their visits to the post office to the minimum. This can be accomplished by purchasing sufficient stamps to last a few weeks, purchasing money orders with a view to confining prchases to once a week and mailing parcels in the same manner.

Letters mailed in the letter box at the corner of Sixth and Macdonald will be collected before each dispatch from the office.

The purpose above is to diminish the groups of persons standing in the lobby.

Your cooperation in this matter is respectfully requested.

W. STAIRLEY,
Postmaster.

Albany Mayor Quits to Join Y.M.C.A. Force

ALBANY, Oct. 17. — With his son already overseas serving his country, Mayor Orloff C. Marr of Albany has answered the call of the Y. M. C. A. for war workers in France and is preparing to leave for the front early next month.

Mayor Marr's call came yesterday from the Y. M. C. A. with istructions to straighten his business affairs in order to be able to leave for France on November 16. His son, Orrie Marr, has been in France for some months with an infantry company.

W.S.S.

WAR SAVINGS STAMPS ISSUED BY THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Bay Point Workers Buy 12,600 Bonds

The total of the employees' subscriptions was raised by $12,600 at a recent noon-time rally, the grand total being brought to $66,600 from which it has since been further increased.

Albert C. Agnew of Oakland, was chief speaker at the rally and Mrs. Minnie Carter sang, accompanied by Mrs. Lloyd Thomas.

COMING EVENTS

October 19—Turkey whist party by Contra Costa Temple, Pythian Sisters.

October 23—Entertainment by Richmond Municipal Band and Carrie Ellsworth and her class. Lincln Auditorium. Tickets 25c.

OVER THERE

and

OVER HERE

Thirty-five of our young men, recently graduated from the University of California as dentists, heard duty's call, joined the Army and Navy and are OVER THERE.

In the meantime—

OVER HERE—While the nation is at war Amendment No. 21 has been initiated to open wide the doors of California and let in the riff-raff from every back-woods State to practice as dentists without examination.

Yet, when our boys come back—if they do come back—they must compete with the derelicts and incompetents who would come in without examination—unless this measure is defeated.

There can be but ONE ANSWER.

Vote NO On Amendment No. 21

Joint Committee, California State Dental Associations.

Classified Ads

LOST—Large white fur on Eighth and Bissell toward Cutting boulevard, Thursday afternoon. Return to 234, Eighth Street. 234-tf*

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Trend of Times Is Favoring The Prohibition Men

That the trend of the times toward prohibition is having its effect upon California legislators who have heretofore been identified with the "wets" is testified to by a statement just issued by Assemblyman Charles W. Goetting of San Francisco, who was returned to office at the primary election. Goetting says:

"The question of wet or dry is no longer an isue. Congressman Kahn has told us that the federal legislature which is to be in effect during the war and during demobilization means that it will be the law of the land for several years.

"Hilliard Welch of Lodi, and Edgar M. Sheehan, secretary of the viticultural commission, leading reprtsentatives of the grape growers have recently returned from the east with a definite message that the national prohibition amendment will be ratified by next May at the latest. They have advised their fellow grape growers that the struggle is ended, that national prohibition is here and that there is nothing to do but accept this conclusion.

County Tax Rate Is Not Very High

The statement of property valuations, indebtedness, etc., of each county in the state for the year 1918 just received from State Controller John S. Chambers shows that of the 58 counties in the state, 38 have higher tax rates than Contra Costa. The highest rate prevails in Nevada county of $3.20, and the lowest is Los Angeles with $1.20. Contra Costa's rate is $1.95.

This county has 469,315 acres assessed, valued at $25,749,245 and improved to the extent of $108,303,875. The personal property roll shows a total of $10,324,155, the grand total of these and others listed is $62,285,020, with a total county indebtedness of but $161,000.

World's Fate Is Now in Balance

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.—The fate of the war and the fate of the world will be virtually shaped in the next few days or weeks.

Impending events that will do must to formulate history include:

First, completion of the fourth Liberty Loan.

Second, smashing of the German armies in Belgium.

Third, Germany must send a new reply in the peace situation after, or before, the reichstag meets tomorrow.

Fourth, Austria-Hungary and Turkey will probably go through new throes of political turmoil.

November 27—Redmen's Annual Pow-wow. East Shore Park. Tickets 50 cents. Ladies complimentary. Dancing, free refreshments, banjo jazz music and dance until 1 p. m.

Four Minute Men Asked to Boost Hard For Loan

Four minute men received the following appeal from the State Council of Defense yesterday:

The success of the Fourth Liberty Loan is in jeopardy—endangered by the insidious peace propaganda emanating from German sources and based upon their hope for a compromise in the face of certain military disaster.

All four minute men are urged to bend every effort to defeat the ends of the Hun propagandists. Appeal to the American public for a prompt and patriotic response to the government's plea for more funds with which to prosecute the war. A failure to "go over the top" for the bonds is a German victory.

The Germans are making insincere peace proposals to impair the success of the Fourth Liberty Loan, and to make it appear by so doing that the American public is not willing to subscribe more money to crush autocracy. No four minute man can afford to let such treacherous rumors go unchallenged.

Were the war to end todayl the six billion dollars to be raised in the present loan campaign would all be needed because the greater part of it has already been expended in carrying on the war. Failure to respond to the government's need would give comfort to the Hun at a time when he is being beaten to his knees; it would necessitate another bond drive in the near future, and would shame the American people before the world.

Hiring and Firing.

The essence of our industrial policy with respect to labor has been continuous turnover. In every industry, though not in every individual establishment, our employers have followed a policy of hiring and firing. If a man did not happen to make good at a particular task, he was discharged and someone else hired, instead of being transferred to some other task better adapted to his qualities. Foremen have considered the power of discharge as their one unfailing method of discipline. Discharge has been in industry what spanking used to be in the home and the schoolhouse. In each case it has been the means by which those too lazy to think of better ways of proceeding have dealt with the weak in their power. The continual change of jobs has prevented the worker from ever learning any job well, and has destroyed all interest in his work.—Don D. Lescohier, in Atlantic.

Shorter Working Day.

The announcement that a leading eastern department store is to observe a shorter working day for the period of the war reflects a broad conception of duty and will have a far-reaching effect upon the commercial habits of the entire community. By making the day for employee and shoppers begin at 10 a. m. and end at 4:30, instead of the present hours—8:30 and 5—two important things are accomplished. There will be an obvious saving of coal, for the new business hours are distinctly daylight hours, even in midwinter, and little or no artificial lighting will be required.

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SPECIAL NOTICE

Owing to the wide spread of Spanish Influenza and in order to safe-guard the people of Richmond, we will postpone our sale which was to start on next Saturday. Notice will be given at a later date as to when this great sale will start. We advise you to not spend another penny for merchandise until this big sale starts, as it will be the greatest money saving opportunity in years.

Signed,

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NOTICE TO WATER CONSUMERS

Water must not be used for irrigation of lawns or gardens, street sprinkling or any non-essential use.

The impression seems to have arisen in some sections that the above restrictions on the use of water have been removed. Such is not the case. The prohibition against the use of water for irrigation, street sprinkling and all non-essential uses is still in full force and effect.

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Tax Notice

The taxes on all property both real and personal within the city of Richmond, Contra Costa county, State of California, are due and payable at the office of Tax Collector in City Hall on the twenty-first day of October, 1918, and will be delinquent at 5 o'clock p. m. on the second day of December 1918, and unless paid prior thereto fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

J. O. FORD,
Tax Collector of the City of Richmond, California.
Oct. 17, 18, 19, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 28.

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SPECIAL Notice from THE BIG STORE

THIRD ANNIVERSARY SALE TEMPORARILY DISCONTINUED

Owing to the influenza epidemic we have been requested by the Health Department to discontinue our Special Anniversary Prices, as we were attracting many people to our store.

Wishing to assist the authorities in every way to stop the spreading of this epidemic we will temporarily discontinue the special anniversary prices. We will, however, resume the special event as soon as the danger is over.

Our business is now going on as usual for the accommodation of the people of Richmond.

Special attention to telephone orders. Goods ordered by telephone will be delivered on approval.

Telephones Richmond 1 and 2

The Big Store

Seventh and Macdonald

News Classified Ads

FOR SALE

Some Good Buys

5-room house, 2 lots at $3500. $500 cash, balance at $30 per month.
6-room house, 2 lots, fine location. A snap at $3500. Easy terms.
5-room house, lot 25x65 ft. at $1050. Small payment down, balance on easy terms.
4-room house and lot 55x100 ft., all fenced. Worth $2000 at $1600; $650 cash, balance at $20, including 6 per cent interest.
4-room brick cottage. (A snap at $2000). For a few days we offer this great bargain at $1650. Part cash, balance easy terms.
2 4-room houses and two lots, a real bargain at $2250. Terms. Now renting for $30 per month.
5 acres with good hard finished 4-room house, fenced, out houses, etc. Good land, near Richmond, for $3150. Part on terms or will rent same.

LESTER & WALKER
255 Sixth Street

WIRE STITCHER

FOR SALE at a bargain, one wire stitching machine, good as new. The News office has two and only needs one. Will take half value for the other one. Apply at this office. tf

6-room modern house, block and half from Macdonald. $3500. Part cash.
5-room house, garage; wind mill and tank, 40ft lot, close in. $3500. $85 cash, $25 per months.
Elegant 7-room house close in.
Garage—lot 50x112. Price $5000.
Corner Lot 57x100, street work paid. Price $900. $90 cash, $10 per month.

R. W. BYRN
Phone 756 909 Macdonald Ave.

FOR SALE—A fine 5-room, close in cottage, almost in the center of Richmond; easy installments. See us at once if you want to capture this great bargain; it is just what you want.—W. H. SANFORD. Phone 921, Richmond. 58-tf

Subscribe for the News.

FOR SALE—Horse, harness and buggy. 518 South 30th street. 237-3t

FOR SALE OR RENT
Good four-room house, partly furnished, for sale or rent at a bargain. Desirable location. Phone W. H. Sanford, Rich. 921. 234-tf

FOR SALE

$2100.00 buys 2 houses and 2 lots 1l1-2 blocks from Macdonald ave. $500 down on both houses; balance like rent.
$2350 buys modern 5-room house, one lot, 1 1-2 blocks from Macdonald avenue.
$375 buys one lot, improvements all in. A snap; fine location.
$700 buys one lot on Bissell avenue, near 16th street.
FOR SALE—5-room completely furnished house on 6th street, half block from Macdonald Ave. Lawn and berries. Price $3500. Some terms.

CONN BROS.

WANTED—A girl to board between four and seven years; good home refined family, close to school. Address Daily News, Box 30. 232-tf

NOTARY PUBLIC—I make and acknowledge all kinds of legal papers, exemptions from military service, deeds, mortgages, contracts, leases, etc.; houses to rent; fire insurance. H. G. Stidham, 163 Washington Avenue. Phones: Office 868; residence, 920. 36-tf

LET MAYERS DO IT
Mayers' American Cleaning and Dyeing Establishment at 1116 Macdonald avenue, is so well known in Richmond for many years past that it is probably needless to say that it is the leader in this line of business in this city. If you want your old suit made to look like new let Mayers do it. That's his business and he knows how. Incidently, he doesn't charge but very little. For further information phone Richmond 462. tf

Richmond Soldiers Complete Schooling

A group of Richmond boys who left here a few months ago under draft orders, and who have been under instruction at the University of Utah, at Logan, Utah, have arrived back on the coast for active army duty. Alvin Gerlach has been assigned to duty at the Hercules Powder plant, Frank Smith, W. J. Klaus, Jasper C. Miller and Max Polard, who studied auto mechanics are at Fort Scott, San Francisco, with the Coat Artillery. Steven Huseata took radio and Rollo Eubanks, carpentering. They are also at Fort Scott.

James Dawsman has been retained at Logan in office work.

DEVASTATION OF CITIES IS ORDERED STOPPED BY GERMANS

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 17—The German army command, according to a bulletin issued by the Rotterdam Courant today, has ordered its armies to cease devastating places unless absolutely compelled by military necessity.

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SAT. OCT. 19

IS THE

LAST DAY

to buy your share of Bonds of the

Fourth Liberty Loan

Uncle Sam needs your money to win the Big Fight
GET IN STRONG!

THE BANKS WILL BE OPEN

in addition to regular hours
FRIDAY from 4 to 6 P. M

"Is Your Name Written Here?"

Schaffer Funeral

The funeral of George Schaffer, victim of Spanish influenza, will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Curry chapel.

Report on Loan

Reverend A. N. Bahnsen asks that the bonds sold by various nationalities be reported to him as soon as possible. His residence is 266 Tenth street. Phone 1456-W.

Talk on Loan

Judge Hiram E. Jacobs and George Lupton, superintendent of the street car company, addressed the Santa Fe workers on the Fourth Libtrey Loan yesterday and sold several thousand dollars worth of bonds.

Cleek Very Ill

Robert Cleek and wife are reported as very ill with Spanish influenza.

Mrs. Blake Worse.

Yesterday Mrs. Dr. Blake was reported as taking a turn for the worse. The health officer believes she will soon rally, however. She is suffering from influenza.

Wear Masks.

Employees of the Western Union as well as the telephone office were instructed yesterday to immdiately wear safety masks.

Assessor Here.

County Assessor George O. Meese and wife spent yesterday on business here.

Patterson Ill.

Roy Patterson is reported very ill with the "influ." Numerous friends sent messages of condolence yesterday.

Joined his wife. They left for Val-

Paul Gonner arrived yesterday and joined hi swife. They left for Valejo in the afternoon.

UNIONS IN FAVOR OF WELFARE PLAN

Unanimously endorsing the United War Work campaign which is about to make a drive for funds to support the seven welfare organizations recognized by the government for work among the soldiers and sailor, the California State Fedseration of Labor at it annual convention in San Diego went on record as urging every trade unionist to contribute to the fund.

The resolution is as follows:

"WHEREAS, The United War Work Campaign, as promoted by President Wilson, is to commence on November 11 and to continue for one week; and

"WHEREAS, The purpose of the campaign is to raise the sum of $170,500,000 for the combined use of the American Library Asociation, the Jewish Welfare Board of the United States Army and Navy, the National Catholic War Council, the Knights of Columbus, the Salvation Army, the War Camp Community Service, the Young Men's Christian Association and the Young Women's Christian Association, therefore be it

"RESOLVED, By the California State Federation of Labor in 19th Annual Convention assembled, at San Diego, on October 11, 1918, that we heartily endorse the United War Work Campaign, to start November 11, and urge upon eacn labor organization and every individual trade unionist to contribute to the best of their ability to this necessary and patrioitc fund, further

"RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be submitted to eacn trade union and to the press.

"Daniel C. Murphy, president.
"Paul Scharrenberg, Sec-Treas."

Try the News classified ads.

William Brown Is Dead In The East

William Brown, former driver for Wells Fargo company here, and son of Mrs. Williams, 159 Fourteenth street, died of bronchial pneumonia in an army camp at Minneapolis, Minnesota. The news was received in a telegram to his mother last night and she immediately requested that the body be shipped here for interment. It will arrive in four days. Leo Brown, brother, and only other surviving relative, is now fighting in France.

Brown enlisted nine months ago. The news prostrated the mother, who has been alone since the two sons left. She was unable to give much information last evening.

Appeal For Women To Nurse Is Made

Report for duty at the Red Cross headquarters or to Miss McNeil at the library.

With influenza present in epidemic form, the Red Cross faces a civilian as well as a military emergency. The call for women with any kind nursing experience, and those who will go into households to take charge of children for such members of the family as are not stricken with the disease are sorely needed. Every woman who is qualified to help in any way is directed to the nearest Red Cross chapter committee on influenza for full information. Compensation and expenses will be allowed. The situation is serious—are our women serious enough to face it and scientifically combat the contagion?

UPRISING IN GERMANY EXPECTED ANY MOMENT

LONDON, Oct. 17.—Unless peace is effected immediately a bolshevist revolution will break out in Germany, according to dispatches received here today from sources said to be authoritative.

The dispatches were received by the Express from Amsterdam; the Daily News from Stockholm and the Chronicle from Geneva. All came from their staff correspondents.

Bolshevism has been noted among the industrial classes. The regular socialists are alarmed and have drawn up a government which they will seek to establish in the event of the kaiser's abdication, hoping to head off anarchy and bolshevism.

You can find all the local news in the Morning Daily News.

Women Needed as Nurses

Every woman whether she has had any nursing experience or not, can greatly assist in the present epidemic by volunteering for service under the Red Cross in Richmond.

In many cases entire families are stricken with no one to care for them. A volunteer nurse can render inestimable service by helping nurse and prepare food in such cases.

It's an emergency.

WOMEN! WILL YOU HELP?

Apply with:
Miss Norah McNeill, public library.
H. D. Chapman, City Engineer, City Hall or his home.
Miss Wills, School Nurse, Imperial Hotel.

DUCK SEASON opens Wednesday OCT. 16

ARE YOU READY—SHELLS, GAME BAGS—EVERYTHING FOR THE SPORTSMAN

SHOT GUNS RENTED

LOU W. SCHROEDER
HARDWARE AND SPORTING GOODS
604 Macdonald Avenue

Byers' Ice Cream Parlor

During war times, keep cool. The coolest place in Richmond, and the best place to get something delicious in the way of Ice Cream, Sodas, Milk Shakes, and other "coolers," is at the Byers parlors, newly added to and enlarged, at

1010 Macdonald Avenue

Choice Candies, Cigars and Tobaccos, Newspapers and Magazines. Your patronage will be appreciated.

Mr. Business Man:

We will give a 35 per cent discount on all mimeograph and stenotype work, including circulars, specis, handbills, addressing envelopes, etc., during this week. Orders must be in by 5 p. m. Thursday, 17th. All work guaranteed. Come early to avoid rush.

Richmond Stenotype Business School
803 Macdonald Avenue Phone 240

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HELP the boys OVER THERE
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THE BROWN APARTMENTS
THE WATSON APARTMENTS
THE HUMBOLDT APARTMENTS

Consult us when in need of reservations. We have finished two new ones and intend to build more. Make your reservations early

THE RICHMOND CO. S. F.—Wells-Fargo Bldg. Phone Sutter 4174. Rich.—23d and Macdonald Phone Richmond 444.

Two Things To Remember:

Buy a LIBERTY BOND

and that our stores will close hereafter (including Saturday's) at 6 p. m.

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115 W. Richmond Ave. Phone Richmond—41

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